ANNUAL REPORT.

NORTH-WESTERN BRANCH,
NATIONAL HOME FOR DISABLED VOLUNTEER SOLDIERS,
MILWAUKEE COUNTY, WIS., JULY 1, 1882.

General MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Secretary Board of Managers,
National Home for D. V. S.

GENERAL:—I have the honor to submit the following Report of the management of the North-Western Branch of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1882:

NUMBER OF BENEFICIARIES:

Total number of disabled soldiers and sailors cared for or aided at this branch during the year, 1,343. Whole number of disabled soldiers and sailors cared for or aided at this branch, from its first establishment, May 1, 1867, to June 30, 1882, 4,733.

Number who have been admitted during the year, 238; re-admitted during the year, 99; transferred from other branches during the year, 70; returned from desertion during the year, 1; taken up temporary at post during the year, 14; total gain during the year, 422. Number transferred to other branches during the year, 96; honorably discharged during the year, 113; summarily discharged during the year, 6; dishonorably discharged during the year, 14; dropped from the rolls during the year, 53; dropped from temporary at post during the year, 18; died during the year, 72; total loss during the year, 372.

Average number of beneficiaries present during the year, 729. Average number present and absent during the year, 960.

Number of beneficiaries during the year who served in the regular army, 28; number who served in the volunteer service, 1,312; number who served in the navy, 3.

The following carefully prepared tabular statement exhibits the total number of beneficiaries present and absent on the last day of each year, and the average number present, the average number absent, the average number sick, the percentage of sick to the average number present and absent, the whole number taken care of, and the total gain and the total loss during each year since the establishment of this branch of the Home, May 1, 1867 :

YEAR.	Total number present and absent on the last day of each year.	Average number present and absent during each year.	Average number present during each year.	Average number absent with leave during each year.	Average number absent without leave during each year.	Average number sick in hospital and quarters during each year.	Percentage of sick to average number present and absent during each year.	Number taken care of during each year.	GAIN DURING EACH YEAR.						LOSS DURING EACH YEAR.								
									By admission.	By re-admission.	By transfer.	By temporary at post.	By return from desertion.	Total gain.	By transfer.	By discharge.	By summary discharge.	By dishonorable discharge.	By dropped from rolls.	By temporary at post.	By death.	By transfer to Government Insane Asylum.	Total loss.
1867*	146	84	69	14	1	15	17.8	212	201	4	5	.....	2	212	.....	32	.....	12	7	10	5	.....	66
1868,	194	137	111	23	3	25	18.2	417	194	31	40	.....	6	271	9	124	.....	15	24	37	14	.....	223
1869,	365	215	165	46	4	51	23.7	610	304	60	48	.....	4	416	8	62	.....	15	66	76	17	1	245
1870,	511	468	369	89	10	89	19.	859	399	64	29	.....	2	494	17	112	.....	34	48	104	28	5	348
1871,	646	584	459	110	15	82	14	919	311	57	38	.....	2	408	23	62	.....	31	66	50	40	1	273
1872,	523	558	428	109	21	47	8.4	948	237	49	15	.....	1	302	30	113	.....	50	91	93	46	2	425
1873,	598	524	400	105	19	45	8.6	925	218	142	37	.....	5	402	40	127	.....	67	31	29	31	2	327
1874,	659	622	482	124	16	56	9.	1,006	243	122	42	.....	1	408	74	101	.....	74	31	22	41	4	347
1875,	676	644	508	117	19	60	9 3	1,003	215	94	31	.....	4	344	95	111	.....	28	27	30	34	2	327
1876,	829	710	554	140	16	71	10.	1,114	290	109	37	.....	2	438	48	110	.....	14	35	41	33	4	285
1877,	901	850	678	156	16	90	10 6	1,307	300	128	46	.....	4	478	45	184	.....	22	62	40	49	4	406
1878,	886	857	691	152	14	101	11 8	1,299	224	122	48	.....	3	397	32	235	.....	22	46	30	47	.....	412
1879*	845	879	717	144	18	97	11.	1,052	96	50	19	.....	1	166	19	111	.....	5	30	13	28	1	207
1879-80*	820	86s	691	160	17	102	11.8	1,247	236	139	25	.....	2	402	50	170	.....	23	65	55	58	6	427
1880-81*	921	912	731	168	13	118	12.9	1,205	215	102	67	.....	1	385	41	109	.....	14	46	17	56	1	284
1881-82*	971	960	729	217	14	101	10 5	1,343	238	99	70	14	1	422	96	113	6	14	53	18	72	.....	372
Total,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3921	1372	597	14	41	5945	627	1876	6	440	728	665	599	33	4974

* The exhibit for 1867 includes but eight months, from May 1 to December 31; 1868 to 1878, inclusive, the exhibit includes each civil year ending December 31; the exhibit for 1879 includes but six months, ending June 30, 1879; and the exhibits for 1879-80; 1880-81 and 1881-82 includes the fiscal years ending June 30, 1880, 1881 and 1882, respectively.

Number of beneficiaries during the year who were disabled during the war of the rebellion, 1,325; number who served in the war of 1812, 5; number who served in the Mexican war, 13.

Number of colored beneficiaries during the year, 3.

STATES FROM WHICH ENLISTED:

States from which those who have been beneficiaries of this branch during the year were enlisted in the service of the United States:

California,	5	Maine,	12	Oregon,	2
Connecticut,	10	Maryland,	4	Pennsylvania,	96
Colorado,	1	Massachusetts,	42	Rhode Island,	6
Delaware,	4	Michigan,	64	Tennessee,	3
District of Columbia,	2	Minnesota,	17	Utah Territory,	1
Illinois,	278	Missouri,	82	Vermont,	6
Indiana,	40	New York,	250	Washington Territory.	1
Iowa,	35	New Hampshire,	6	Wisconsin,	257
Kentucky,	14	New Jersey,	17	Total	1,343
Kansas,	14	Nebraska,	3		
Louisiana,	7	Ohio,	64		

NATIVITIES:

Number of beneficiaries during the year who were native born, 394; foreign born, 949. Nativity of foreign born beneficiaries:

Austria,	7	Germany,	395	Russia,	1
Belgium,	4	Holland,	3	Scotland,	18
Cuba,	1	Ireland,	340	Sweden,	9
Canada,	26	Italy,	2	Switzerland,	37
Denmark,	4	Mexico,	1	Wales,	2
England,	66	Norway,	14	Total	949
France,	18	Poland,	1		

SOCIAL STATISTICS:

Ages of those who have been beneficiaries of this branch during the year: Under 30 years, 0; between 30 and 40 years, 164; between 40 and 50 years, 348; between 50 and 60 years, 423; between 60 and 70 years, 321; between 70 and 80 years, 76; between 80 and 90 years, 9; between 90 and 100 years, 2.

Number of beneficiaries during the year who have been married, and who have living wives or minor children, or both, 367.

Former occupation of those who have been beneficiaries during the year:

Agents and Peddlers,	6	Clerks,	49	Editors,	1
Artists,	1	Carvers,	2	Farmers,	209
Actors,	3	Carriagemakers,	1	Furriers,	2
Bakers,	14	Clockmakers,	1	Gardeners,	13
Barbers and wigmakers,	6	Cigarmakers,	10	Gunsmiths,	1
Bookbinders,	3	Cooks,	6	Harnessmakers,	11
Brickmakers,	2	Coopers,	21	Hatters,	1
Broommakers,	1	Confectioners,	1	Jewellers,	2
Brewers,	8	Druggists,	3	Laborers,	525
Boilermakers,	4	Dentists,	2	Lawyers,	2
Blacksmiths,	24	Draughtsmen,	1	Lithographers,	2
Butchers,	18	Dyers,	1	Locksmiths,	4
Carpenters,	63	Engineers,	15	Lumbermen,	4
Cabinetmakers,	10	Electroplaters,	2	Machinists,	10

Machinemakers,	2	Plasterers,	4	Tinkers,	9
Masons and bricklayers,	27	Printers,	16	Tobacconists,	2
Millers,	6	Physicians and surgeons,	4	Telegraph operators,	3
Millwrights,	4	Ropemakers,	1	Tanners,	3
Miners,	8	Seamen and boatmen,	13	Upholsterers,	2
Molders,	8	Shoemakers,	36	Umbrellamakers,	1
Musicians,	15	Stonecutters,	8	Veterinary surgeons,	2
Merchants and salesmen,	13	Saddlers,	1	Watchmakers,	2
Manufacturers,	1	Surveyors,	2	Weavers and Spinners,	10
Marblecutters,	1	Shipwrights,	1	Wagonmakers,	2
Needlemakers,	1	Teachers,	7	Wheelwrights,	1
Preachers,	1	Tailors,	27		
Painters,	24	Teamsters,	10	Total,	1,343

Number of beneficiaries during the year who could read and write, 1,151; number who could do neither, 192 (of which 16 were native and 176 were foreign born). Percentage of native born who could neither read nor write, 4; of foreign born, 18.

CAUSES OF DISABILITY:

The disabilities of those who have been beneficiaries of the Home during the year were as follows:

Wounds resulting in loss of both arms,	2	Other wounds received in the service,	379
Wounds resulting in the loss of one arm,	54	Sickness contracted in the service,	850
Wounds resulting in the loss of both feet	2		
Wounds resulting in the loss of one foot,	56	Total,	1,343

Number completely blind, 11; number partially blind, 46; total 57.

Number insane, totally or partially, 28. Number of insane who have been taken care of at the Milwaukee County Insane Asylum at Wauwatosa, Wisconsin, 24; of whom 8 died during the year, and one returned as cured. (This class of inmates is carried on the books and reports of the Home as "Absent sick.")

HOSPITAL:

Number of sick who have been cared for in hospital during the year ending June 30, 1882, was 486; daily average 93. Diseases of those treated in hospital:

Alcoholism,	37	Diarrhœa, acute,	9	Lumbago,	3
Asthma,	8	Diarrhœa, chronic,	11	Nephritis,	4
Apoplexy,	6	Dispepsia,	9	Neuralgia,	2
Aphonia,	1	Dislocation of shoulder,	3	Old age,	20
Angina pectoris,	1	Epilepsy,	16	Ophthalmia,	5
Abscesses,	8	Eczema,	3	Oedema,	1
Amaurosis	1	Erysipelas,	5	Orchitis,	1
Blindness,	6	Exhaustion, nervous,	1	Old wounds,	6
Bronchitis,	9	Fistulæ,	8	Pleuritis,	8
Cephalalgia,	6	Fractures,	12	Paralysis,	18
Cardiac disease, organic,	13	Fever, intermittent,	16	Phthisis pulmonalis,	48
Carbuncle,	1	Frost bite,	1	Pneumonia,	7
Cystitis,	7	Gonorrhœa,	2	Phlebitis,	1
Colic,	2	Gastralgia,	1	Retention of urine,	2
Conjunctivitis,	6	Gastritis,	5	Rheumatism,	42
Contusions,	10	Hydrocele,	4	Scurvy,	1
Congestion of lungs,	2	Hernia,	14	Stomatitis,	1
Chorea,	6	Hepatitis,	2	Sprain,	1
Constipation,	1	Inflamation of bowels,	1	Syphilis, primary,	1
Cholera morbus,	3	Inflamation of stump,	1	Syphilis, secondary,	4
Convulsions,	1	Loss of both arms.	1	Ulcers, old,	9
Debility,	16	Loss of both hands,	1	Vertigo,	4
Diabites,	3	Loss of both feet,	1		
Dementia,	11	Locomotor Ataxia,	5	Total,	486

On account of small pox having appeared in this vicinity, the officers, inmates, and citizen employés and their families were vaccinated.

All applicants for admission and re-admission, and inmates returned from furlough were vaccinated immediately upon their arrival. Total number of vaccinations during the year, 1,040, of which 50 per cent. were successful.

No case of small pox has occured during the year.

The number of beneficiaries treated sick in quarters during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1882, was 620, to whom were administered 8,886 medical and surgical prescriptions and dressings.

SUMMARY.

Total number treated sick in hospital,		486
Total number treated sick in quarters,		620
Total number treated sick in quarters who have also been treated in hospital,	165	455
Total number of individuals treated during the year,		941

The total number of beneficiaries who have been medically treated in hospital and quarters during the year constituted 70.08 per cent. of the whole number cared for by the Home.

The number of beneficiaries who have died in hospital was 49, of which one was brought to hospital in a dying condition and died the same day, and one died of injuries received outside the Home; 2 died outside the hospital on the Home grounds, viz: one by railroad accident and one of heart disease; 13 died while on furlough, and 8 died in the Milwaukee County Insane Asylum, making the total number who have died during the year 72, or 5.36 per cent. of the whole number of beneficiaries cared for at the Home.

CAUSES OF DEATH:

Asthma,	1	Exhaustion from fatigue, resulting from a long journey,	1	Insanity,	8
Abscess of the liver,	1	Exhaustion from chronic mania,	1	Phthisis pulmonalis,	12
Apoplexy,	6	Exhaustion from old age,	1	Pneumonia,	4
Accident, railroad,	2	Exhaustion from senile gangrene,	1	Pycemia,	1
Cancer of stomach,	1	Exhaustion, nervous,	1	Paralysis,	2
Congestion of brain,	1	Exhaustion from paralysis,	1	Rheumatism, inflamatory,	1
Congestion of lungs,	2	Gangrene of the lungs,	1	Softening of brain,	1
Diarrhœa, chronic,	4	Heart disease (organic),	5	Uræmia,	1
Exhaustion from suppuration of necrosed bones,	1			Unknown (while on furlough),	10
Exhaustion from fracture of neck of femur,	1			Total,	72

The following tabular statement exhibits the number of beneficiaries of this branch who have died during each month and year since its organization:

MONTHS.	1867	1868	1869	1870	1871	1872	1873	1874	1875	1876	1877	1878	1879	1880	1881	1882	15 1/6 years.
JANUARY,	—	1	1	1	1	8	3	—	1	4	3	3	10	7	3	4	50
FEBRUARY,	—	2	—	1	4	3	1	3	3	2	2	2	5	4	2	6	40
MARCH,	—	1	1	3	5	2	4	7	5	2	6	6	6	5	5	7	65
APRIL,	—	—	2	4	6	1	3	6	4	3	4	7	—	7	8	12	67
MAY,	2	1	1	3	5	5	3	3	7	2	3	2	2	5	8	6	58
JUNE,	—	1	—	—	4	1	2	5	2	4	7	2	5	3	4	5	45
JULY,	—	1	—	3	2	2	2	5	2	1	2	4	5	2	2	—	33
AUGUST,	1	1	—	3	1	6	—	4	3	7	3	6	5	2	3	—	45
SEPTEMBER,	1	2	4	5	4	4	3	1	1	4	3	4	3	5	6	—	50
OCTOBER,	—	1	3	3	4	7	3	3	1	3	4	3	5	5	7	—	52
NOVEMBER,	—	1	1	2	2	2	3	2	1	1	3	5	3	6	6	—	38
DECEMBER,	1	2	4	—	2	5	4	2	4	—	9	3	6	6	8	—	56
TOTAL,	5	14	17	28	40	46	31	41	34	33	49	47	55	57	62	40	599

On the following two pages will be found a list of the beneficiaries of this and military history, etc., of each.

No.	NAME.	CO. AND REGIMENT	WHERE BORN.	AGE.	DATE OF DEATH,
1	Dennis Quinn,	D, 16 Ill. Vol's,	Ireland,	60	July 16, 1881.
2	Edward P. Clark,	E, 53 Ill. Vol's,	Pennsylvania,	36	" 29, "
3	James Douglass,	A, 15 Ky. Vol's,	Ireland,	65	" 29, "
4	Charles Zantner,	K, 7 Wis. Vol's,	Germany,	47	Aug. 15, "
5	Lawrence McNamara,	G, 90 Ill. Vol's,	Ireland,	47	" 29, "
6	Ignaz Dosser,	C, 16 Ill. Cav.,	Germany,	57	" 31, "
7	Edward A. Patchin,	L, 10 N. Y. Cav.,	New York,	67	Sept. 4, "
8	Owen Heslin,	H, 4 Wis. Cav.,	Ireland,	65	" 10, "
9	Byron Stevens,	E, 49 Wis. Vol's,	New York,	43	" 11, "
10	Alfred B. Rogers,	F, 26 Iowa Vol's,	Iowa,	42	" 27, "
11	Frank Schweizer,	E, 60 Ill. Vol's,	Germany,	61	" 29, "
12	Samuel J. Cranford,	A, 9 Ohio Cav.,	Pennsylvania,	44	Oct. 2, "
13	Anthony Cadwell,	C, 5 Wis. Vol's,	Austria,	35	" 2, "
14	Daniel Foreman,	War of 1812,	New York,	93	" 12, "
15	George Venables,	A, 65 N. Y. Vol's,	England,	42	" 15, "
16	John C. McDevitt,	C, 71 Pa. Vol's,	Pennsylvania,	38	" 15, "
17	Louis Gangrin,	A, 19 Ind. Vol's,	Switzerland,	50	" 17, "
18	William R. Joyce,	G, 6 Ohio Vol's,	New Jersey,	52	" 20, "
19	Francis Locker,	L, 1 Mo. Cav.,	Germany,	58	Nov. 13, "
20	James Gibbons,	F, 63 N. Y. Vol's,	Ireland,	53	" 13, "
21	Theodore Rosbourne,	G, 82 Ill. Vol's,	Belgium,	81	" 13, "
22	John H. Bryan,	I, 87 Pa. Vol's,	Don't know,	35	" 22, "
23	David Gilmore,	A, 79 N. Y. Vol's,	Scotland,	61	" 22, "
24	John F. W. Miller,	G, 9 Wis. Vol's,	Germany,	56	" 27, "
25	George McHugh,	E, 36 Ill. Vol's,	England,	61	Dec. 5, "
26	Carl F. Henshel,	E, 18 U. S. Inf.,	Germany,	71	" 10, "
27	Nicholas Scheurig,	D, 17 Wis. Vol's,	Germany,	55	" 10, "
28	John Fisher,	B, 124 Ind. Vol's,	Germany,	58	" 10, "
29	William J. Armstrong,	G, 7 Wis. Vol's,	Ireland,	59	" 11, "
30	John Lewis,	K, 8 Kansas Vol's,	England,	54	" 22, "
31	Joseph Devought,	G, 15 Mo. Vol's,	Germany,	83	" 23, "
32	William McKenzie,	I, 15 Ill. Vol's,	England,	60	" 25, "
33	Charles F. Wyman,	H, 5 Wis. Vol's,	New York,	45	Jan. 1, 1882.
34	William West,	U. S. Navy,	Pennsylvania,	49	" 3, "
35	Anton Hoffarth,	I, 37 Ohio Vol's,	France,	61	" 23, "
36	Michael Gannan,	F, 177 N. Y. Vol's,	Ireland,	46	" 30. "
37	Leonard O. Shaw,	K. 14 Wis. Vol's,	Ohio,	44	" 31, "
38	Michael Larkin,	B, 12 Mich. Vol's,	Ireland,	38	Feb. 3, "
39	Michael Flannery,	D, 11 Ill. Vol's,	Ireland,	45	" 5, "
40	Henry Gerber.	E, 12 Mo. Vol's,	Switzerland,	42	" 9, "
41	James Bratton,	E. 96 Ohio Vol's,	Ohio,	40	" 10, "
42	Thomas Tobin,	C, 23 Ky. Vol's,	Ireland,	66	" 16, "
43	Max Gœden,	A. 15 Mo. Vol's,	Germany,	46	March 5, "
44	John Callahan,	E, 2 Wis. Vol's,	Delaware,	45	" 11, "
45	Patrick Dolan,	I, 77 N. Y. Vol's,	Ireland.	70	" 13, "
46	James Calligan,	I, 27 Mich. Vol's,	Ireland,	72	" 14, "
47	Thomas Aspen,	G, 3 Pa. Cav..	England,	58	" 22, "
48	David R. Ralston,	H, 119 Ill. Vol's,	Virginia,	44	" 23, "
49	Dennis Maher,	G, 23 Ill. Vol's,	Ireland,	46	" 27, "
50	John R. Hewitt,	B, 50 N. Y. Vol's,	Arkansas,	35	" 27, "
51	John Gallagher,	A, 39 Ill. Vol's,	Ireland,	65	April 1, "
52	Patrick P. Smith,	C, 1 N. Y. M'd Rifles,	Ireland,	42	" 4, "
53	Andrew Burns,	C, 13 N. Y. Vol's,	Virginia,	41	" 9, "
54	Charles Hawkins,	14 Mich. Battery.	England,	68	" 14, "
55	George W. Thompson,	D, 1 Mo. Lt. Art.	Virginia,	69	" 20, "
56	John Usinger,	E, 19 Wis. Vol's,	Germany,	77	" 22, "
57	John Weber,	C, 105 Ill. Vol's,	Germany,	65	" 22, "
58	Adam Rœhrig,	A, 17 N. Y. Vol's,	Germany,	50	" 22, "
59	Henry Stamnitz,	E, 44 Ill. Vol's,	Germany,	61	" 23, "
60	Patrick Boyle,	G, 72 N. Y. Vol's,	Ireland,	75	" 24, "
61	James Dunlop,	F, 34 Wis. Vol's,	Ireland,	49	" 29, "
62	James Able,	B, 4 Iowa Vol's,	Virginia,	58	May 4, "
63	Martin Scully,	I, 69 N. Y. Vol's,	Ireland,	47	" 5, "
64	Herrman Voigtlander,	K, 13 N. Y. H'y Art.	Germany,	60	" 9, "
65	William Porter,	F, 47 Ill. Vol's,	New York,	36	" 19, "
66	John Clark,	B, 1 Louisiana Vol's,	England,	62	" 26, "
67	William Burgward,	B, 1 Ill, Cav.,	Germany.	59	" 28, "
68	Joseph L. Smith,	F, 4 Mich, Vol's,	New Hampshire,	51	" 30, "
69	Leander F. Thurston,	C, 13 Maine Vol's,	Maine,	37	June 6, "
70	William Cripps,	B, 28 Ill. Vol's,	Germany,	52	" 17, "
71	Frederick Grell,	H, 9 Wis. Vol's,	Germany,	57	" 20, "
72	William McFay,	G, 17 Wis. Vol's,	Scotland,	74	" 23, "

branch who have died within the year, with the date, place and cause of death,

CAUSE OF DEATH.	PLACE OF DEATH.	WHEN ADMITTED:		No.
		To the Home.	To Hospital.	
Apoplexy,	Home Hospital,	April 10, 1879,	July 13, 1881.	1
Unknown,	Milwaukee, while on furlough	March 19, 1881,	———————	2
Unknown,	Milwaukee Co. Insane Asylum	April 7, 1881,	———————	3
Unknown,	Milwaukee. while on furlough	Dec. 24, 1873,	———————	4
Unknown,	Milwaukee, while on pass,	Sept. 16, 1880,	———————	5
Exhaustion,	Home Hospital,	Sept. 9, 1871,	Aug. 9, 1879.	6
Exhaustion,	" "	Dec. 11, 1876,	Sept. 2, 1881.	7
Cancer of stomach,	" "	Aug. 13, 1869,	June 21, 1881.	8
Phthisis,	" "	Aug. 5, 1881,	Aug. 4, 1881.	9
Softening of brain.	" "	Feb. 26, 1881,	Feb. 26, 1881.	10
Apoplexy,	" "	June 14, 1880,	Sept. 18, 1881.	11
Unknown,	Milwaukee Co. Insane Asylum	June 14, 1880,	———————	12
Unknown,	Manitowoc, Wis., while on fur-	Aug. 15, 1881.	———————	13
Exhaustion,	Home Hospital, [lough,	Oct. 29, 1878,	Oct. 29, 1878.	14
Chronic diarrhœa,	" "	June 7, 1881,	Oct. 3. 1881.	15
Phthisis pulmonalis,	" "	April 8, 1881,	May 17, 1881.	16
Apoplexy,	" "	Aug. 11, 1881,	Oct. 14, 1881.	17
Chronic diarrhœa,	" "	Oct. 2, 1880,	Sept 22, 1881.	18
Phthisis,	" "	Aug. 25, 1878,	Oct. 18, 1881.	19
Apoplexy,	" "	Aug. 28, 1877,	Nov. 9, 1881.	20
Phthisis,	" "	Feb. 24, 1875,	May 27, 1879.	21
Unknown,	Milwaukee Co. Insane Asylum	April 7, 1881,	———————	22
Congestion of the lungs,	Home Hospital,	Nov. 4, 1874,	Nov. 18, 1881.	23
Unknown,	Milwaukee, while on furlough	Sept. 21, 1880,	———————	24
Asthma,	Home Hospital,	Nov. 9, 1881,	Nov. 11, 1881.	25
Uræmia,	" "	Oct. 5, 1877,	Nov. 13, 1881.	26
Chronic dysentery,	" "	Dec. 21, 1875,	Oct. 3, 1881.	27
Unknown,	Milwaukee Co. Insane Asylum	Nov. 29, 1875,	———————	28
Unknown,	Marshfield, Wis.. while on fur-	Sept. 19, 1881,	———————	29
Congestion of the lungs,	Home Hospital, [lough,	July 6, 1877,	Dec. 19, 1881.	30
Phthisis,	" "	Oct. 18, 1874,	Nov. 24, 1881.	31
Unknown,	Milwaukee Co. Insane Asylum	May 10, 1879,	———————	32
Nervous exhaustion,	Home Hospital,	Aug. 9, 1881,	Sept. 17, 1881.	33
Pneumonia,	Aminas City, Col., on furlough	Aug. 11, 1871,	———————	34
Unknown,	New Berlin, Wis., while on fur-	April 20, 1870,	———————	35
Pneumonia,	Home Hospital, [lough,	Jan. 12, 1882,	Jan. 14, 1882.	36
Chronic diarrhœa,	" "	Sept. 18, 1880,	Sept. 20, 1880.	37
Pyœmia,	" "	July 3, 1867,	Jan. 27, 1882.	38
Phthisis,	" "	Sept. 24, 1881,	Sept. 25, 1881.	39
Railroad accident,	Near the Home grounds,	Oct. 16, 1879,	———————	40
Unknown,	Milwaukee Co. Insane Asylum	April 7, 1881,	———————	41
Exhaustion,	Home Hospital,	March 29, 1879,	Jan. 23, 1882.	42
Railroad accident,	Milwaukee, while on furlough	June 20, 1879,	———————	43
Heart disease, valvular,	Home Hospital,	March 9, 1882,	March 11, 1882.	44
Exhaustion of old age,	" "	Nov. 4, 1879,	March 6, 1882.	45
Senile debility,	Milwaukee Co. Insane Asylum	Jan. 6, 1882,	———————	46
Abscess of the liver,	Home Hospital,	Oct. 3, 1876,	March 16, 1882.	47
Phthisis,	" "	Oct. 20, 1881,	Oct. 21, 1881.	48
Exhaustion from paralysis	" "	April 4, 1879,	March 6, 1882.	49
Unknown,	Los Angelos, Cal., while on fur-	Sept. 19, 1879,	———————	50
Phthisis,	Home Hospital, [lough,	Oct. 17, 1877,	March 25, 1882.	51
Phthisis,	" "	June 27, 1876,	Nov. 28, 1881.	52
Heart disease,	Milwaukee, while on furlough	Aug. 24, 1881,	———————	53
Exhaustion from senile	Home Hospital,	Jan. 11, 1874,	March 6, 1878.	54
Pneumonia, (gangrene,	" "	Nov. 11, 1881,	April 12, 1882.	55
Congestion of brain,	" "	Dec. 16, 1879,	March 22, 1882.	56
Pneumonia,	" "	Aug. 8, 1878,	April 19, 1882.	57
Progressive paralysis,	" "	Dec. 13, 1877,	Feb. 18, 1882.	58
Paral.—locomotor atoxia,	" "	Aug. 6, 1880,	Oct. 5, 1880.	59
Heart disease—senility,	" "	May 12, 1874,	April 22, 1882.	60
Phthisis,	" "	July 17, 1877,	Nov. 2, 1877.	61
Fatty degeneration of the	Home,	Jan. 18, 1882,	———————	62
Unknown, [heart,	Chicago, Ill., while on fur-	Jan. 1, 1881,	———————	63
Apoplexy,	Home Hospital, [lough,	June 13, 1870,	May 9, 1882.	64
Unknown,	Chicago, Ill., while on fur-	April 20, 1880,	———————	65
Inflamatory rheumatism.	Home Hospital, [lough,	Dec. 8, 1870,	May 11, 1882.	66
Paralysis,	" "	July 10. 1877,	May 17, 1882.	67
Gen'l Paral. of the insane,	Milwaukee Co. Insane Asylum	April 7, 1881,	———————	68
Phthisis pulmonalis,	Home Hospital,	Dec. 20, 188I,	Dec. 20, 1881.	69
Apoplexy.	" "	Oct. 10, 1878,	Sept. 17, 1879.	70
Enlargement of the heart,	" "	June 19, 1875,	July 9, 1881.	71
Phthisis,	" "	Aug. 12, 1879,	Jan. 9, 1882.	72

LIBRARY AND READING ROOM:

The Librarian, GEO. W. BARBER, submits the following report of the Library and Reading Room for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1882:

Volumes added to the Library,	109
Volumes in Library including hospital,	4,101
* Volumes issued for reading,	6,700
Volumes bound and rebound,	324
Daily papers on file,	26
Weekly papers on file,	107
Monthlies and periodicals on file,	29
Total number of papers and periodicals,	162

The papers and periodicals are in the English, German, French and Scandinavian languages.

During the year a new Catalogue, of upward of 150 pages, was compiled by the librarian and his assistants, and printed and bound in the Home Printing Office.

* By a clerical error in my report for quarter ending Dec. 31, 1881, 661 vols. only were given as issued for reading, when 1,650 should have been given, making a total for the year 6,700.

GEO. W. BARBER, *Librarian.*

POST OFFICE:

The Postmaster, GEO. W. BARBER, submits the following report of the business transactions of the National Home Post Office for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1882:

Letters mailed, by count,	13,281	Letters registered,	235
Single postages represented above,	15,317	Registered letters received,	129
Letters received, estimated,	14,500	Money orders issued,	191
Postal cards mailed, by count,	3,172	Amount of money transmitted,	$2,046 63
Postal cards received, estimated,	3,000	Money orders paid,	41
Newspapers mailed, estimated,	4,500	Amount paid on money orders,	$588 81
Newspapers received, by count,	25,500		

On June 1, the Post Office was removed to a room especially designed for it in the Ward Memorial Building, which room has been fitted up in an elegant and commodious manner, greatly facilitating the transaction of post office business.

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION:

The Protestant Episcopal chaplain, Rev. C. L. MALLORY, reports as follows:

"I have the honor to report that since entering upon my duties as chaplain on the 15th of June, 1881, regular services have been rendered each Sunday morning in the chapel of the Home. On the second Sunday in each month and on the principal Holy Days, the Holy Communion has been celebrated. For a part of the year I held services also on Thursday evenings. I have officiated at thirty-seven funerals of inmates, and have buried two children of families residing on the grounds of the Home. For most of the year I have been able to pay weekly visits to the hospital, usually on Thursday or Friday. I have baptized one inmate. There has been an encouraging increase in the attendance upon the services, and a marked improvement in the music, both at Sunday services and at funerals."

Report of the Roman Catholic chaplain, Rev. FERD. L. WEINMAN, S. J.:

"Following in the footsteps of my esteemed predecessor, now deceased, I have endeavered to the best of my ability to advance the good work so auspiciously begun.

"I have visited the Home regularly at the appointed times with the most encouraging results.

"I have conferred individually with all who came under my charge, and I am pleased to know that my efforts have not been in vain.

"I conducted two services weekly in the main building after first visiting all the patients in the different wards of the hospital.

"I have performed twenty-seven funeral services, and have administered the Sacrament of Penance and the Holy Eucharist over three thousand times.

"I am exceedingly pleased that the chapel is now exclusively devoted to religious service, and that at an early date, under the direction of our energetic Governor and his esteemed lady, it will be appropriately furnished and decorated."

PENSIONS:

Number of beneficiaries who have received pensions during the year, 474 against 470 during the year ending June 30, 1881. The total amount of pensions received during the year, and the disposition made thereof, is shown in the following tabular statement:

Pension to credit of beneficiaries, July 1, 1881, ...		$ 8,030 14	Retained by the Home for:		
Pension money received during the year, ...	$62,698 77		Abstract A, Subsistence, ...	$ 600 19	
Interest received on pension money during the year, ...	250 96		" C, Stable, ...	12 37	
		62,949 73	" F, Incidental, ...	4 33	
			" G, Transportation, ...	1,253 10	
			" H, Clothing, ...	951 17	
			" I, Hospital Supplies,	12 92	
			" L, Household, ...	132 42	
			" M, Manufactures, ...	193 54	
			Forfeitures by order of Board of Managers, ...	5 60	
			Total amount paid to the Home, ...		$ 3,165 64
			Fines by order of Governor to Contingent Fund, ...	16 00	
			Paid to Home Store, ...	1,898 95	
			Carried to Posthumous Fund,	368 50	2,283 45
			Cash paid for $3,800.00 U. S. registered bonds @ 4½ p. c., ...		4,347 09
			Cash paid to pensioners' families, ...	9,426 84	
			Cash paid to individual pensioners, ...	45,467 42	
			Remaining to credit of pensioners, June 30, 1882.....	6,289 43	61,183 69
Total to be accounted for,..		$70,979 87	Total accounted for,.....		$70,979 87

PAY FOR EXTRA DUTY:

The average number per month of beneficiaries employed for pay at this branch during the year ending June 30, 1882, was 221. The amount credited to beneficiaries for extra duty and the disposition thereof was as follows:

Extra duty pay to credit of beneficiaries June 30, '81,		$ 3,034 61	Retained by Home:		
Amount of pay rolls during the year:			Abstract A, Subsistence, ...	$ 606 47	
Abstract A, Subsistence, ...	$ 1,398 86		" B, Construction and repairs, ...	35 06	
" B, Construction and repairs,...	2,894 71		" C, Stable, ...	48 14	
" C, Stable, ...	1,994 53		" E, Current Expenses,	2 32	
" E, Current Expenses, ...	9,158 92		" F, Incidental "	2 41	
" F, Incidental Expenses, ...	297 40		" G, Transportation, ...	543 08	
" H, Clothing, ...	454 90		" H, Clothing, ...	367 24	
" I, Hospital supplies, ...	2,610 24		" I, Hospital supplies,	44 26	
" K, Farm, ...	1,971 57		" L, Household, ...	190 08	
" L, Household, ...	3,650 21		" M, Manufactures, ...	378 68	
" M, Manufactures,	2,345 81	26,777 15		2,217 74	
			Fines by order of Governor, ...	1,393 31	
			Paid to Home store, ...	1,809 29	
			Paid cash to beneficiaries, ...	21,690 88	
			Balance due June 30, 1882, ...	2,700 54	
Total to be accounted for,		$29,811 76	Total accounted for, ...		$29,811 76

HOME STORE:

The Home store, established in August, 1871, has been continued during the year with satisfactory results, as shown by the following statement:

1881. July 1,	Merchandise on hand,	$ 2,193 65	Received on account of sales, etc., from July 1, 1881, to June 30, 1882,	$13,644 88
			Merchandise on hand, July 1, 1882,	3,265 25
July 1, 1881, to June 30, 1882.	Merchandise purchased,	9,789 64		
	Expense account,	910 75		
	Net profits,	4,016 09		
		$16,910 13		$16,910 13

QUARTERLY CASH EXPENDITURES AND RECEIPTS:

The following tabular statement exhibits by departments or abstracts the total cash expenditures and the total cash receipts on account of this branch each quarter of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1882, to wit:

ABSTRACTS.	Quarter ending Sept. 30, 1881.	Quarter ending Dec. 31, 1881.	Quarter ending March 31, 1882.	Quarter ending June 30, 1882.	Year ending June 30, 1882.
A, Subsistence,	$ 8,845 20	$10,367 07	$10,005 94	$10,104 07	$ 39,312 27
B. Construction and repairs,	2,574 85	3,553 98	9,376 26	4,075 93	19,581 02
C, Stable,	1,629 28	1,292 53	1,536 19	1,753 65	6,211 65
D, Personal Property,	138 23	435 64	72 26	3 75	649 88
E, Current Expenses,	4,465 88	4,217 02	3,996 96	4,103 09	6,782 95
F, Incidental Expenses,	218 05	1,224 17	1,490 05	1,255 21	4,187 48
G, Transportation,	502 33	1,302 71	1,258 13	1,210 35	4,273 52
H, Clothing,	1,587 72	666 14	1,023 94	131 39	3,409 19
I, Hospital Supplies,	3,744 87	3,020 44	3,481 50	2,590 69	12,837 50
K, Farm and Garden,	1,154 63	920 25	673 88	1,048 45	3,797 21
L, Household Expenses,	3,148 19	8,134 88	8,440 84	4,224 42	23,948 33
M, Manufactures,	1,841 37	2,010 13	1,006 06	1,163 48	6,021 04
Total Cash Expenditures,	$29,850 60	$37,134 96	$42,362 01	$31,664 47	$ 141,012 04

CASH RECEIPTS.

A, Subsistence,	$ 1,043 00	$ 1,374 56	$ 1,012 33	$ 1,010 19	$ 4,440 08
B, Construction and Repairs,	21 00	22 28	10 00	5 65	58 93
C, Stable,	424 28	322 84	1,372 52	1,341 09	3,465 73
E, Current Expenses,	— 24	— —	1 00	1 08	2 32
F, Incidental Expenses,	10 04	65 50	85 23	2 91	163 68
G, Transportation,	1,104 02	675 30	960 70	1,164 88	3,908 13
H, Clothing,	305 24	479 56	326 70	247 74	1,359 24
I, Hospital Supplies,	25 25	36 63	7 50	4 15	73 53
K, Farm and Garden,	— —	35 00	372 07	41 12	448 19
L, Household Expenses,	266 45	237 95	247 23	87 39	839 02
M, Manufactures,	238 76	459 06	221 33	262 00	1,181 15
Total Cash Receipts,	$ 3,441 51	$ 3,708 68	$ 4,616 61	$ 4,173 20	$ 15,940 00
Net Cash Expenditures,	$26,409 09	$33,426 28	$37,745 40	$27,491 27	$ 125,072 04

The appropriations by the Board of Managers for the same period were:

For Construction and Repairs (Abstract 'B'),	$ 18,061 91
For current running expenses,	116,635 59
Total,	$134,697 50
Leaving unexpended of the appropriation for the year, on June 30, 1882,	$ 9,625 46

I certify that the above tabular statement is a correct abstract from the books in my office.

T. C. MOORE, *Secretary.*

TOTAL EXPENDITURES AND RECEIPTS:

The following tabular statement exhibits the gross expenditures, the receipts from sales, and the net expenditures on account of each department or abstract, during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1882, as shown by the Treasurer's account current:

ABSTRACTS.	EXPENDITURES.			RECEIPTS FROM SALES, ETC.			Expenditures in excess of Receipts.	Receipts in excess of Expenditures.
	CASH.	INTERNAL.	TOTAL.	CASH.	INTERNAL.	TOTAL.		
A	$ 39,312 27	$ 7,401 80	$ 46,714 07	$ 4,440 08	$ 1,002 41	$ 5,442 49	$ 41,271 58	— —
B	19,581 02	3,783 40	23,364 42	58 93	— —	58 93	23,305 49	— —
C	6,211 65	6,125 39	12,337 04	3,465 73	8,717 70	12,183 43	153 61	— —
D	649 85	159 35	809 23	— —	— —	— —	809 23	— —
E	16,782 95	2,150 63	18,933 58	2 32	— —	2 32	18,931 26	— —
F	4,187 48	422 03	4,609 51	163 68	— —	163 68	4,445 83	— —
G	4,273 52	370 12	4,643 64	3,908 13	12 50	3,920 63	723 01	— —
H	3,409 19	238 56	3,647 75	1,359 24	— —	1,359 54	2,288 51	— —
I	12,839 50	2,226 36	15,063 86	73 53	30 20	103 73	14,960 13	— —
K	3,797 21	2,016 30	5,813 51	448 19	9,262 77	9,710 96	— —	$3,897 45
L	23,948 33	2,069 26	26,017 59	839 02	1,715 31	2,554 33	23,463 26	— —
M	6,021 04	82 13	6,103 17	1,181 15	6,304 44	7,485 59	— —	1,382 42
Tot	$141,012 04	$27,045 33	$168,057 37	$15,940 00	$27,045 33	$42,985 33	$130,351 91	$5,279 87
						Deduct Receipts in excess of Expenditures,	5,279 87	
						Total net Expenditures,	$125,072 04	

I certify that the above tabular statement is a correct abstract from the books in my office.

T. C. MOORE, *Secretary.*

COST PER CAPITA FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1882:

Value of subsistence on hand, June 30, 1881,	$ 1,480 94	
Value of fuel on hand, June 30, 1881,	501 74	
Gross expenditures in all departments of the Home during the year ending June 30, 1882,	168,057 37	
Total,		$170,040 05
Deduct credits for sales, etc., shown in the above table,	$ 42,985 33	
Deduct value of subsistence stores on hand, June 30, 1882,	2,298 82	
Deduct value of fuel on hand, June 30, 1882,	393 75	
Deduct construction and repairs account,	19,581 02	
Deduct cost of transporting beneficiaries to Home before admission,	272 29	
Deduct cost of transporting insane inmates,	37 75	
Deduct cost of boarding insane beneficiaries,	3,607 89	
Deduct cost of manufacturing drawers,	1,907 18	
		$71,084 03
Net current expenditures in running the Home during the year,		$98,956 02

Divide 98,956.02 by 729, the average number of beneficiaries actually present, and the result is $135.74.

The average value of clothing issued to each man during the year was $25.06, making the total average cost of keeping and clothing each man $160.80 per year.

COST OF DAILY RATION:

The average cost of the daily ration—including value of all subsistence stores produced by, and received from the Home farm and Home stable, the cost of transportation to the Home, the cost of fuel consumed in bakery, and the pay-roll of all persons employed in the subsistence department—during the year ending June 30, 1882, was $15. 13 per hundred, as shown by the following exhibit:

Cost of subsistence on hand June 30, 1881,		$ 1,480 94
Cost of subsistence purchased for cash,		37,903 41
Amount of pay-rolls of employés in bakery and subsistence department,		1,408 86
Value of subsistence received from Home farm,		3,523 34
Value of subsistence received from Home stable,		3,158 71
Value of transportation furnished by Home stable,		533 25
Value of material furnished by Home printing office,		6 00
Value of material furnished by Home blacksmith shop,		50
Cost of fuel consumed in the bakery,		180 00
Total cost of subsistence stores on hand June 30, 1881, and received during the year ending June 30, 1882,		$48,195 01
Value of subsistence stores sold for cash,	$ 4,440 08	
Value of subsistence stores sold to Home,	1,002 41	
Value of subsistence stores issued to beneficiaries, including cost of labor, etc.,	40,453 70	
Value of subsistence stores on hand June 30, 1882,	2,298 82	
Total value of subsistence stores issued and sold during the year and remaining on hand June 30, 1882,		$48,195 01

The average daily number of beneficiaries subsisted, including men temporarily at post, was 732.26, making the whole number of rations issued, 267,274.

Divide 40,453.70, the cost of subsistence, by 267,274, the number of rations issued, and we have $15.13.

The cost of the ration in 1870 was $23.62; in 1871, $21.27; in 1872, $22.33; in 1873, $22.91; in 1874, $21.69; in 1875, $21.61; in 1876, thirteen months, $19.28; in 1877, $19.19; in 1878, $17.35; in the six months ending June 30, 1879, $14,60; in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, $14.31; and in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1881, $14.77 per hundred.

BILL OF FARE:

No permanent diet list is prescribed, either in the general kitchen or hospital. but a bill of fare, adapted as far as practicable to the season, is prepared daily for the general kitchen by the Governor, and the commissary employés and cooks are required to conform to it strictly. In the hospital the bill of fare is prescribed by the Surgeon.

SUBSISTENCE STORES PURCHASED:

The following tabular statement exhibits the quantity and cost of subsistence stores purchased and issued and sold during the year, and the average price paid therefor, including cost of transportation to the Home:

ARTICLES.	PURCHASED DURING THE YEAR.		ISSUED AND SOLD.		Average cost of STORES purchased, including TRANSPORTATION.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
Apples, dried, ...lbs.	6,386	$ 375 11	6,123	$ 354 15	$ 5 92 per 100 lbs.
Beans, Navy, ...bush.	150½	510 22	141	461 67	342 00 " bush
Beef, corned, ...lbs.	70,403	2,915 85	71,611	2,965 84	4 14 " lbs.
Beef, fresh, ... "	111,672	6,649 62	112,810	6,712 31	5 95 " lbs.
Beets, ...bush.	74	37 00	74	37 00	50 00 " bush
Butter, ...lbs.	21,968½	5,606 44	23,426	5,942 64	27 83 " lbs.
Cabbage, ... "	18,735	187 35	18,735	187 35	1 00 " lbs.
Carrots, ...bush.	129	64 50	129	64 50	50 00 " bush
Cheese, ...lbs.	2,098	252 81	2,012	249 93	12 15 " lbs.
Coffee, Java, ... "	809	227 91	796	263 74	28 22 " lbs.
Coffee, Rio, ... "	10,016	948 86	8,894	1,129 57	9 52 " lbs.
Cornmeal, ... "	1,400	24 10	1,593	30 22	1 77 " lbs.
Crackers, ... "	1,316	76 00	1,391	77 63	5 82 " lbs.
Cucumbers, ...bush	177	88 50	177	88 50	50 00 " bush
Currants, dried, ...lbs.	1,056	85 90	936	57 47	6 86 " lbs.
Eggs, ...doz.	4,393	625 24	4,436	635 20	14 28 " doz.
Fish, fresh, ...lbs.	4,200	273 00	4,200	273 00	6 50 " lbs.
Fish, dry Cod, ... "	10,250	486 01	9,450	452 79	4 79 " lbs.
Flour, baker's, ...bbls.	1,025	6,885 70	951	6,579 02	676 77 " bbls.
Flour, F. R., ... "	30	247 00	29¾	243 90	831 33 " bbls.
Ham, S. C., ...lbs.	1,886	215 75	1,899	218 29	11 49 " lbs.
Hominy, ... "	1,800	42 25	1,924	46 40	2 40 " lbs.
Ice, ...tons	330	330 00	330	330 00	100 00 " tons
Lard, ...lbs.	3,742	467 38	3,675	458 66	12 54 " lbs.
Macaroni, ... "	108	7 56	110	8 47	7 05 " lbs.
Milk, ...galls.	16,837	2,817 29	16,837	2,817 29	16 73 " gals.
Mustard, ...lbs.	600	93 00	595	96 61	15 55 " lbs.
Mutton, ... "	29,181	1,693 94	29,745	1,725 99	5 80 " lbs.
Oatmeal, ... "	2,000	54 99	1,546	46 88	2 80 " lbs.
Onions, ...bush.	471	361 06	471	361 06	76 67 " bush
Peaches, dried, ...lbs.	740	36 02	546	35 29	4 92 " lbs.
Peas, split, ... "	3,857	112 83	4,050	120 70	2 98 " lbs.
Peas, green, ...bush.	86	89 75	86	89 75	104 36 " bush
Pepper, black, ...lbs.	400	53 30	464	62 66	13 38 " lbs.
Pickles, ...bbls.	37	111 00	37	111 00	300 00 " bbls.
Pork, salt, ...lbs.	18,400	1,341 00	16,102	1,161 37	7 34 " lbs.
Pork, fresh, ... "	750	60 00	753	60 33	8 00 " lbs.
Potatoes, ...bush.	2,869	2,040 84	2,869	2,040 84	71 13 " bush
Prunes, ...lbs.	2,625	159 46	3,478	205 19	6 12 " lbs.
Rice, ... "	2,640	168 76	2,746	175 30	6 44 " lbs.
Sauerkraut, ...bbls.	45	180 00	45	180 00	400 00 " bbls.
Sausage, ...lbs.	4,093	363 87	4,107	364 12	8 94 " lbs.
Shoulders, sugar cured, ... "	15,400	1,281 00	13,609	1,119 71	8 37 " lbs,
Squash, ... "	6,941	172 80	6,941	172 80	2 49 " lbs.
Sugar, brown, ... "	29,101	2,272 48	29,021	2,243 48	7 85 " lbs.
Sugar, white, ... "	6,963	696 10	7,211	721 68	10 04 " lbs.
Syrup, ...galls.	911	316 77	845	295 80	35 27 " gals.
Tea, Oolong, for gen'l use, lbs.	3,684	900 69	3,631	894 74	24 50 " lbs;
Tea, Oolong, best, ... "	45	20 25	59¾	27 27	45 05 " lbs.
Tea, Young Hyson, ... "	64	35 20	115	60 20	55 05 " lbs.
Tomatoes, ...bush.	170	85 00	170	85 00	50 00 " bush
Tomatoes, ...cans	192	19 80	220	24 09	10 41 " cans
Turkeys, ...lbs.	1,216	150 52	1,216	150 52	12 32 " lbs.
Vinegar, ...galls.	961	105 27	959	107 41	11 45 " gals.
Miscellaneous, ...	.....	1,182 41	.....	347 22	.....
		$44,585 46		$43,767 58	
Transportation furnished by Home stable during the year ending June 30, 1882, ...		533 25		533 25	
Fuel for bakery furnished by the Home during the year ending June 30, 1882, ...		180 00		180 00	
Value of material furnished by Home printing office, ...		6 00		6 00	
Value of material furnished by Home blacksmith shop, ...		50		50	
Cash paid for labor in subsistence department during the year ending June 30, 1882, ...		1,408 86		1,408 86	
Cost of subsistence stores on hand June 30, 1881, ...		1,480 94			
Cost of subsistence stores on hand June 30, 1882, ...				2,298 82	
Total, ...		$48,195 01		$48,195 01	

The average cost of flour per barrel was as follows: First quarter, $5.38; second quarter, $6.95; third quarter, $6.95; fourth quarter, $7.25.

The average cost of daily ration issued to the hospital during each quarter was :

	Value of Subsistence issued,	Number of Rations issued.			Average Cost per Hundred
		To Sick.	To Attendants.	Total.	
For the quarter ending September 30. 1881,....	$1,956 90	9,389	2,726	12,115	$16 15
For the quarter ending December 31, 1881,.....	2,001 26	8,356	3,021	11,377	17 59
For the quarter ending March 31, 1882,.....	2,129 12	8,218	3,214	11,432	18 62
For the quarter ending June 30, 1882,.....	1,948 87	7,217	2,985	10,202	19 10
For the whole year,.....	$8,036 15	33,180	11,946	45,126	17 81
For the year ending June 30, 1881,.....	8,543 55	40,047	11,454	51,501	16 59
For the year ending June 30, 1880,.....	7,288 19	36,188	8,770	44,958	16 21
For the six months ending June 30, 1879,.....	3,323 66	15,740	3,874	19,614	16 95
For the calendar year 1878,.....	7,572 78	32,259	6,401	38,660	19 59

The average cost of daily ration issued to the general dining room during each quarter was :

	VALUE of Subsistence issued.	NUMBER of Rations issued.	AVERAGE COST ₱ Hundred
For the quarter ending September 30, 1881, ...	$ 7,269 33	48,541	$14 98
For the quarter ending December 31. 1881,.....	8,082 96	56,331	14 35
For the quarter ending Mareh 31, 1882,.....	9,047 18	63,260	14 30
For the quarter ending June 30, 1882, ...	8,018 08	54,016	14 84
For the whole year, ...	$32,417 55	222,148	$14 59
For the year ending June 30, 1881,.....	30,974 02	216,126	14 33
For the year ending June 30, 1880,.....	29,038 47	208,935	13 90
For the six months ending June 30, 1879,.....	15,674 86	110,506	14 13
For the calendar year 1878,.....	36,204 72	213,734	16 94

The average cost of daily ration issued to the whole Home during each quarter was :

	VALUE of Subsistence issued.	NUMBER oi Rations issued.	AVERAGE COST ₱ Hundred
For the quarter ending September 30, 1881, ...	$ 9,226 23	60,656	$15 21
For the quarter ending December 31, 1881,.....	10,084 22	67,708	14 90
For the quarter ending March 31, 1882,.....	11,176 30	74,692	14 96
For the quarter ending June 30, 1882, ...	9,966 95	64,218	15 52
For the whole year, ...	$40,453 70	267,274	$15 13
For the year ending June 30, 1881, ...	39,517 57	267,626	14 77
For the year ending June 30, 1880,.....	36,326 66	253,892	14 31
For the six months ending June 30, 1879, ...	18,998 52	130,120	14 60
For the calendar year 1878, ...	43,777 50	252,394	17 35
For the calendar year 1877,.....	47,491 73	247,525	19 19
For the calendar year 1876, ...	39,049 81	203,160	19 22

IMPROVEMENTS.

During the year a new building has been erected, having on its main floor a post office, railroad waiting room, Home store and restaurant; the second floor is finished and furnished for an amusement hall, and is well adapted to this end. By direction of the Board of Managers it is called the "Ward Me-

morial Hall" in honor of Horatio Ward, of Virginia, who at his death left one hundred thousand dollars to the Homes to be used for the benefit of the inmates. The cost of the building was $22.000.

A second story has been added to the corridors connecting the wings with the central building and kitchen of the hospital; this is a much needed improvement as it lightens the labor consequent upon waiting on so many invalids. The cost was $2.350.

STABLE:

The following is a detailed statement of the sale of Stable products during the fiscal year ending June 30. 1882:

ARTICLES SOLD.	QUANTITY.	Sold for Cash. VALUE.	Sold to Home. VALUE.	TOTAL.
Boars,	4	$ 57 50	— —	$ 57 50
Bulls,	2	100 30	— —	100 30
Calves,	13	68 50	— —	68 50
Chickens,	97	25	$ 24 00	24 25
Colts,	1	75 00	— —	75 00
Corn,	2 bush.	1 00	— —	1 00
Cows,	5	215 20	— —	215 20
Ducks,	95	26 88	4 52	31 40
Eggs,	80½ doz.	3 82	110 80	114 62
Forage, officers' horses,	—	— —	390 00	390 00
General teaming,	—	— —	4,593 07	4,593 07
Grease,	—	31 40	— —	31 40
Hay,	14,900 lbs.	107 47	— —	107 47
Hire of teams,	—	220 61	— —	220 61
Hogs,	81	1,925 50	— —	1,925 50
Horses,	3	250 00	— —	250 00
Keep of horses,	—	— —	260 00	260 00
Manure,	258 cords.	— —	258 00	258 00
Milk,	17,826¾ gals.	— —	3,017 99	3,017 99
Oats,	83½ bush.	3 40	39 75	43 15
Pigs,	81	412 00	— —	412 00
Straw,	24,104 lbs.	— —	75 10	75 10
Sundries,	—	8 47	— —	8 47
Turkeys,	25	23 00	1 50	24 50
Total,		$3,530 30	$8,774 73	$12,305 03

Cash value of stable products sold,		$12,305 03
Cash expended on account of stable,	$6,183 25	
Bought of Home on account of stable,	6,126 14	
Gross expenditures on account of stable,		$12,309 39
Expenditures over Receipts,		$4 36

We have on hand about 20 tons of old hay, value $12 per ton,—$240 00.

FARM AND GARDEN:

The report of the operations of the Farm and Garden for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1882, and the value of their products, and the expenditures on account thereof was as follows:

Cash value of crops raised,		$10,430 16
Cash expended on account of Farm and Garden,	$3.784 62	
Bought of Home,	2,017 16	
Gross expenditures on account of Farm and Garden,		$ 5,801 78
Net profits of Farm and Garden,		$ 4,628 38

Quantity and value of crops raised during the year 1881—82 :

PRODUCTS.	CROP RAISED YEAR 1881.			SALES				TOTAL.
				To Home.		For Cash.		
	Qu'ty.	Value.	Total Val.	Qu'ty.	Value.	Qu'ty	Value.	
Apples, ...bush.	33⅝	$ 50	$ 16 80	33⅝	$ 16 80			$ 16 80
Asparagus, ...bunches	15	03	45	15	45			45
Auction sales,.....	——	——	51 00	——	——		$ 51 00	51 00
Beans, green,...........bush.	110	50	55 00	110	55 00			55 00
Beets, ...bush.	74	50	37 00	74	37 00			37 00
Cabbage,.......... ......heads	8088	05	404 40	7988	399 40	100	5 00	404 40
Carrots, ...bush.	149	25 to 50	69 50	149	69 50			69 50
Celery,. ....doz.	31	25	7 75	31	7 75			7 75
Corn, ...doz.	201	06	12 06	201	12 06			12 06
Corn, ...bush.	784	35 to 50	274 70	782	273 70	2	1 00	274 70
Cucumbers, ...bush.	177	50	88 50	177	88 50			88 50
Currants, ...bush.	39	1 00	39 00	39	39 00			39 00
Fire wood,. .... cords	183	4 00-6 00	889 50	183	889 50			889 50
Fodder, ...tons	39¾	5 00-7 00	248 25	39¾	248 25			248 25
Gooseberries, ...bush.	5½	1 00	5 50	5½	5 50			5 50
Hay, ...tons	231⅞	12.00-12 50	2795 13	231⅞	2795 13			2795 13
Ice, ...tons	931	50-1 00	792 07	430	430 00	501	362 07	792 07
Lettuce, ...lbs.	1711	04	68 44	1711	68 44			68 44
Mangel Wurzel, ...bush.	1511	25	377 75	1511	377 75			377 75
Oats, ...bush.	1754	40	701 60	1754	701 60			701 60
Onions, ...bush.	473⅛	50-1 00	361 72	473⅛	361 72			361 72
Parsnips,..................bush.	3¼	50	1 62	3¼	1 62			1 62
Peas, ...bush.	71	1 00	71 00	71	71 00			71 00
Pasturing Cattle,........head	57	5 00	285 00	57	285 00			285 00
Pasturing Sheep,........head	4	1 00	4 00	4	4 00			4 00
Potatoes, ... bush.	3642¾	25 to 75	2179 89	3623¾	2165 14	19	14 75	2179 89
Pumpkins, ...each	449	02-04	10 45	449	10 45			10 45
Rhubarb,......................lbs.	1223	02	24 46	1223	24 46			24 46
Spinach, ...lbs.	1702	02	34 04	1702	34 04			34 04
Squash,........................lbs.	7541	02 to 05	184 45	7541	184 45			184 45
Straw, ...tons	35	6 00	210 00	35	210 00			210 00
Tomatoes,...................bush	169½	50	84 75	169½	84 75			84 75
Turnips,......................bush.	56	50	28 00	56	28 00			28 00
Wheat, ...bush.	11½	1 25	14 37	——	—— —	11½	14 37	14 37
Radishes, ...doz.	67	03	2 01	67	2 01			2 01
Total,.........	....	....	$10,430 16	....	$9,981 97	....	$ 448 19	$10,430 16

CLOTHING.

The rule for issuing clothing at this branch is as follows :—To each beneficiary when admitted to the Home for the first time, clothing is issued without charge to the value of $24.57 ; subsequently he is allowed clothing to the value of $30.00 per year, and if he has an income exceeding five dollars per month, from pension or extra duty, or both, he is required to pay for all clothing issued to him in excess of his admission suit, otherwise it is donated to him. Shirts, drawers and socks are issued to all alike free, two of each kind once every six months.

The following tabular statement exhibits the kind, quantity and value of all clothing issued during the year :

ARTICLES ISSUED.	QUARTER ENDING				Donated to Beneficiaries.		Paid for by Beneficiaries.		TOTAL for the year ending June 30, 1882	
	Sept. 30, 1881	Dec. 31, 1881	March 31, '82	June 30, 1882	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.
Blouses, lined,.	39	334	260	258	801	$ 2,002 50	90	$ 225 00	891	$ 2,227 50
Blouses, unlined, ...	153	——	1	——	148	296 00	6	12.00	154	308 00
Boots, Togus, pairs,.....	51	198	99	29	333	832 50	44	110 00	377	942 50
Caps, fatigue,.............	106	180	287	202	679	419 15	96	60 20	775	479 35
" "	——	——	——	17	——	—— —	17	11 05	17	11 05
Coats, dress,................	71	136	158	97	430	3,010 00	32	224 00	462	3,234 00
Coats, great,...............	1	167	81	2	247	1,482 00	4	24 00	251	1,506 00
Drawers, cot. pairs,.....	299	1109	572	917	3060	1,900 80	17	11 22	3077	1,912 02
Flannel, dark blue, yds	1½	19¾	1¾	16¾	9½	5 70	30¼	18 15	39¾	23 85
Hats, uniform, ...	57	——	——	——	57	57 00	——	—— —	57	57 00
Kersey, dark blue, yds	15½	14½	14	8½	2½	7 37	50	147 55	52½	154 92
Kersey, sky blue, yds ..	3	8¾	——	——	7¼	14 87	4½	9 23	11¾	24 10
Overalls, ...	21	32	6	67	112	122 08	14	15 26	126	137 34
Ponchos, rubber,..,......	2	1	——	——	3	7 89	——	—— —	3	7 89
Shirts, knit,................	343	1130	598	946	3005	3,455 75	12	13 80	3017	3,469 55
Socks, pairs, ...	415	1142	640	969	3154	946 20	12	3 60	3166	949 80
Shoes, pairs, ...	143	146	142	194	572	715 00	53	66 25	625	781 25
Slippers, pairs,............	——	5	——	——	5	2 00	——	—— —	5	2 00
" "	——	21	81	35	133	66 50	4	2 00	137	68 50
Trowsers, "	216	322	279	278	975	2,925 00	120	360 00	1095	3,285 00
Total,........						$18,268 31		$1,313 31		$19,581 62

LAUNDRY:

The work of the Home laundry, in which 6 men were regularly employed during the year, has been as follows:

ARTICLES.	1st Quarter ending Sept. 30, 1881.	2nd quarter ending Dec. 31, 1881.	3rd quarter ending March 31, 1882.	4th quarter ending June 30, 1882.	Total for the year ending June 30, 1882.
Aprons,	647	648	637	649	2,581
Blankets,	250	83	115	201	649
Bed ticks,	85	18	31	59	193
Bed spreads,	353	142	128	252	875
Blouses,	28	10	25	11	74
Cloths, table,	26	26	27	26	105
Cloths, side table,	26	26	26	26	104
Drawers, pairs,	4,721	5,509	7,128	5,256	22,614
Gowns, hospital,	30	38	38	33	139
Hair pillow cases,	——	15	106	——	121
Miscellaneous,	35	63	86	101	285
Napkins,	416	416	416	416	1,664
Overalls,	184	170	117	75	546
Shirts,	5,083	6,184	8,390	6,617	26,274
Socks,	3,458	3,942	5,341	4,649	17,390
Sheets,	9,134	10,034	11,072	9,797	40,037
Slips, pillow,	8,991	9,873	11,016	9,701	39,581
Towels, hand,	6,915	7,014	8,476	7,521	29,926
Towels, roller,	4,327	4,401	4,441	4,416	17,585
Trowsers,	128	124	111	109	472
Total,	44,837	48,736	57,727	49,915	201,215

SHOPS:

The following table exhibits the number of mechanical trades carried on at this branch during the year ending June 30, 1882, with the number of men employed in each shop, amount of expenditures, value of products, and net profit in each, to wit:

TRADES.	No. of employes.	Tools and Materials on hand June 30, 1881	EXPENDITURES.			RECEIPTS.		Tools and Materials on hand June 30, 1882	TOTAL.	GAIN.	LOSS.
			CASH.	HOME	TOTAL.	CASH.	HOME.				
		$ c.	$ c.	$ c.	$ c.	$ c.	$ c.	$ c.	$ c.	$ c.	$ c.
Blacksmith shop,	2	791 53	888 28	44 46	1,724 27	51 44	797 00	742 55	1,590 99	— —	133 28
Carpenter shop	8	1,269 20	1,772 38	17 35	3,058 93	68 15	2,456 39	576 60	3,101 14	42 21	
Harness shop,	1	296 48	459 78	10 79	767 05	21 80	525 18	303 42	850 40	83 35	
Paint shop,	3	121 89	791 32	— —	913 21	36 19	998 62	119 75	1,154 56	241 35	
Printing Office,	5	1,218 10	709 19	3 92	1,931 21	219 33	800 45	1,305 29	2,325 07	393 86	
Shoe shop,	2	299 69	660 11	4 51	964 31	481 98	198 91	224 36	905 25	— —	59 06
Tailor shop,	1	82 00	252 56	— —	334 56	146 97	20 46	183 50	350 93	16 37	
Tin shop,	2	390 91	487 42	1 10	879 43	155 29	507 43	351 43	1,014 15	134 72	
Total,	24	4,469 80	6,021 04	82 13	10,572 97	1,181 15	6,304 44	3,806 90	11,292 49	911 86	192 34

I certify that the above tabular statement is a correct abstract from the books in my office.

T. C. MOORE, *Secretary*.

GREENHOUSE:

The greenhouse has been in successful operation during the year, adding greatly to the attractions of the grounds, contributing to the enjoyment of beneficiaries, officers and visitors, and suppling all plants required for the flower garden and borders at trifling cost.

SOCIETIES:

A post of the Grand Army of the Republic, known as Veteran Post No. 8, has been maintained at this branch during the year by beneficiaries of the Home, a suitable room having been set apart by order of the Governor for its meetings and for the use of its members. A Sunday school society has also been successfully conducted by beneficiaries and their families and friends.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION:

The usual methods of providing amusement and recreation for beneficiaries, fully set forth in previous reports, have been continued as far as practicable during the year.

DISCIPLINE:

The following tabular statement exhibits the number and nature of offenses committed against the discipline of the Home during the year ending June 30, 1882, and the amount of penalties imposed, to wit:

Nature of offenses:	*No.*
Drunk,	467
Under influence of liquor,	312
Bringing liquor into the Home,	9
Absence without leave,	1,104
Assault and fighting in quarters,	22
Violation of other rules,	188
Other misdemeanors,	23
Whole number of offenses,	2,125
Total amount of fines imposed,	$1,453 60
Total number of days' labor imposed as penalties,	18,036
Total number of days' confinement in guard-house,	1,398
Amount of fines remitted during the year,	$98 50,
364½ days labor and 5 days confinement.	

The whole number of beneficiaries in the Home during the year was 1,343, of which 540, or 40 per cent., committed 2,125 offenses; and 803, or 60 per cent., have committed no offenses.

DISHONORABLE DISCHARGES:

No.	NAME.	CO. AND REG'T.	No. of Gen. Order	DATE.	REMARKS.
1	C— B—,	H, 58 Ill. Vol's,	67	July 1, 1881,	Drunkenness, absence without leave, etc.
2	J— T—,	F, 2 N. Y. Cav.,	70	July 12, 1881,	An incorrigible offender against the rules of the Home.
3	N— J—,	B, 44 Ill. Vol's,	71	July 13, 1881,	Drunkenness, absence without leave, etc.
4	M— McG—,	G, 23 Ill. Vol's,	74	July 29, 1881,	General misconduct—incorrigible.
5	F— X— K—,	Band, 17 Mo. V.,	89	Sept. 29, 1881,	Refusing to perform labor imposed as a penalty for misconduct.
6	A— F—.	B, 15 N. Y. H. A.,	1	Jan. 1, 1882,	Receiving transportation under false statements.
7	J— E— R,	B, 155 Pa. Vol's,	2	Jan. 1, 1882,	General misconduct.
8	H— C—,	A, 1 Mo. Vol's,	22	March 14, '82,	Drunkenness and general misconduct.
9	J— W—,	M, 9 N. Y, Cav.	31	Apr. 28, 1882,	Drunkenness and absence without leave.
10	G— E—,	B, 27 Ohio Vol's.	32	Apr. 28, 1882,	Convicted of larceny.
11	F— C—,	E, 43 Ill. Vol's,	34	Apr. 29, 1882,	Assault on another inmate, causing his death.
12	P— P—,	G, 13 Ill. Vol's,	35	May 5, 1882,	Absence without leave; disposing of government clothing.
13	P— B—.	K, 26 Wis. Vol's,	37	May 6, 1882,	Stealing Home property while in charge of a shop.
14	C— W— A—,	C, 13 Ohio Vol's,	42	June 6, 1882,	Drunkenness, absence without leave, etc.

SANITARY REGULATIONS:

General Orders of this branch, No. 19, dated May 18, 1875, requires all beneficiaries of the Home to bathe not less frequently than once a week; and the company sergeants, charged with the execution of this order, submit the following reports:

Report of Sergeant Joseph Horle, Company A: "The provisions of General Orders, No. 19, dated May 18, 1875, requiring men to take a bath once a week, has been strictly enforced during the last fiscal year, with beneficial results to the health of the inmates of the Home, and the sanitary condition of the building."

Report of Sergeant Henry Topping, Company B: "I have the honor to report that General Orders, No. 19, has been strictly complied with during the last year with results beneficial to the health, cleanliness and comfort of the men."

Report of Sergeant Charles Lidle, Company C: "I have the honor to report that General Orders, No. 19, dated May 18, 1875, has been strictly enforced with general satisfaction."

Report of Sergeant James B. Kennedy, Company D: "I have the honor to state that General Orders, No. 19, has been strictly complied with during the past year with results beneficial to the health, cleanliness and comfort of the men."

Report of Sergeant George Fiedler, band: "I have the honor to report that General Orders, No. 19, dated May 18, 1875, relating to bathing one a week, has been strictly observed in the band during the past year, with results beneficial to health, cleanliness and comfort of its members."

The Surgeon reports: "The rules of the hospital require each patient to bathe once a week, except the very aged and those confined to their beds, who have a sponge bath administered by the nurses of their respective wards, as often as advised by the Surgeon."

VISITORS TO THE HOME:

During the year a large number of persons, representing every part of this country and many foreign nations, have registered at the office and been shown through the buildings, expressing admiration of the cleanliness and order which they have observed.

I am, very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

JACOB SHARPE,

Governor and Treasurer.

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